



BHanney
05/14/2007 08:32 AM

To: VHaas/Ser@SER084R1.STATE.IL.US
cc:
Subject: NewsFlash

NewsFlash

An electronic newsletter for SERS Retirement Coordinators



5-14-07

Workshop Cancellation/Addition

The IYF workshop scheduled for Sept. 18, 2007 in Springfield has been cancelled. The members who were registered, have been rescheduled for the IYF on July 31, 2007 in Springfield.

We have replaced the IYF workshop with a CDR workshop on September 18, 2007 in Springfield. Please mark your calendars. All members who received rejection notices for a Springfield CDR in 2007 have been rescheduled for this September date.

This new CDR will not be added to the 2007 schedule. If other IYF workshops continue to lag in registration, we will cancel them and add another CDR to meet the demand for this workshop.

New Field Services Fax Number

The SERS Field Services Division has a new fax number: 217-557-5154. Please make a note of it.

Update on Senate Bill 36

One of the provisions of Senate Bill 36 allows an employee who was laid off from state employment but returned under circumstances where the employee is considered in continuous service to purchase this layoff time. Currently, we've received over 700 requests from members wanting to purchase layoff time. The Service & Refunds Division is working on the backlog as quickly as possible, and is asking these members for their patience during this time.